**Notice of Earth and Space Science Educators AGM**

 **When: Saturday, September 14th, 2019.
Time: 10 am – 2.30 pm.
Where: Wellington High, 249 Taranaki St, Mount Cook, Wellington 6011**The Earth and Space Science Educators (ESSE) are able to pay airfares/travel for the members of the executive and any of the regional representatives who wish to become involved with ESSE. ESSE can’t afford to pay for accommodation except under exceptional circumstances.
ESSE has decided to pay for five other people who wish to come to the AGM and be involved with the running of ESSE.
To access this funding, write a short paragraph stating why you wish to come to the AGM  and what contribution you could make to the running of ESSE.

RSVP and any applications for funding to Jenny Pollock earthspacenz@gmail.com or jenny.pollock2@gmail.com. **Review of Achievement Standards:**The Review of Achievement Standards will commence in 2020 as part of the NCEA Review Change Package. Each subject will have an expert group, who will identify the significant learning in their subject and work with a wider team to develop and write new assessment matrices, achievement standards, and resources.
For more information and the link for Expressions of Interests for subject expert groups is  [https://gazette.education.govt.nz/notices/1H9wJR-expressions-of-interest-to-join-review-of-achievement-standards-expert-group/](https://facebook.us17.list-manage.com/track/click?u=c10697146a3066775974505e9&id=32d7191e8e&e=4a7dcb7b82). These are due by August 23rd.The ESSE advice is to make sure that you note the time commitment and that you are honest about your expertise. We want knowledgeable and experienced ESS people for what could be far-reaching changes.